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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the aboveidentified patent application. The shortened statutory period for response having expired on <u>February 29, 2008</u>, an extension of time for a period of <u>2</u> months is hereby requested.

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